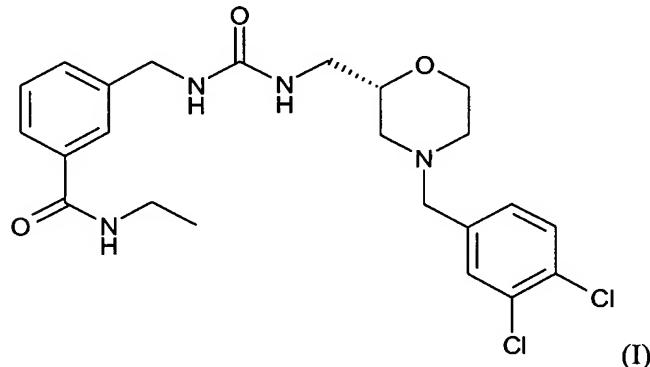


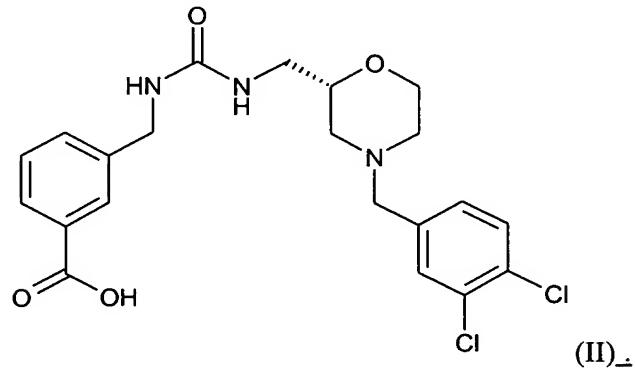
AMENDMENT OF THE CLAIMS:

1. (Original) A compound of formula (I):



and salts and solvates thereof.

2. (Currently amended) A process for the preparation of a compound of formula (I) or a salt or solvate thereof as claimed in claim 1, which process comprises coupling of a compound of formula (II) or a salt thereof with ethylamine

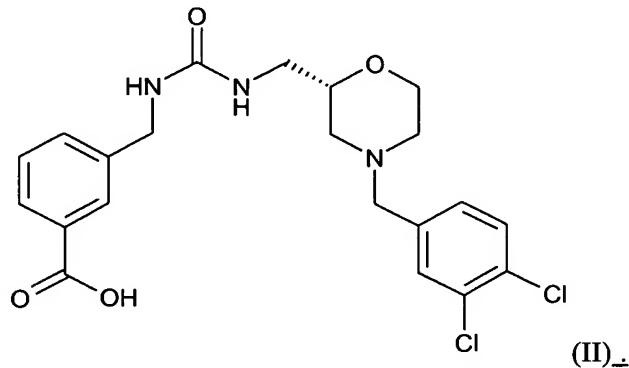


3. (Original) A compound as claimed in claim (I) for use as a therapeutic agent.

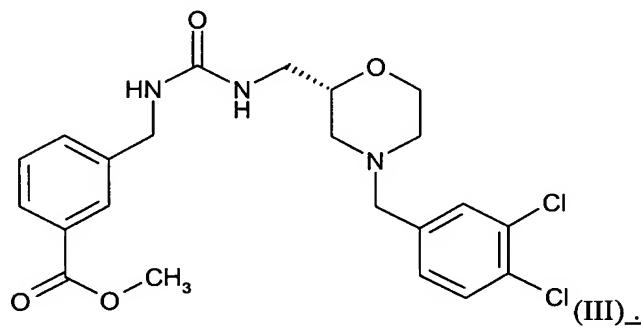
4. (Original) A method of treatment of a human or animal subject suffering from or susceptible to an inflammatory condition which method comprises administering an effective amount of a compound as claimed in claim 1.

5. (Original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound as claimed in claim 1 and a physiologically acceptable carrier therefor.

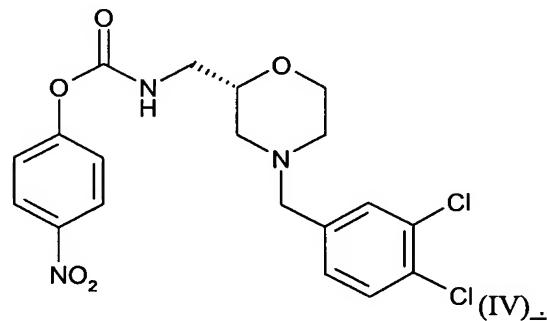
6. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (II)



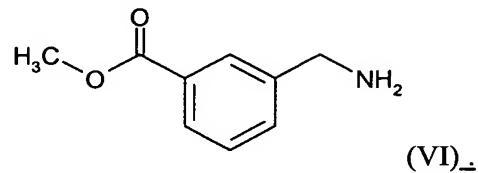
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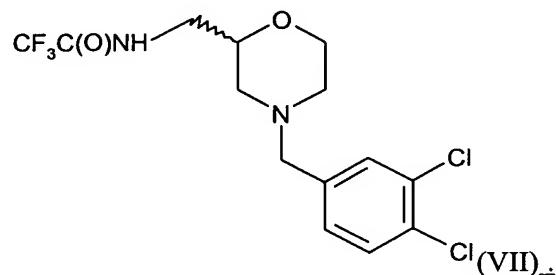


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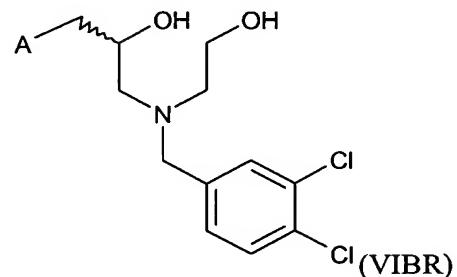
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10. (Currently amended) A compound of formula (VII)



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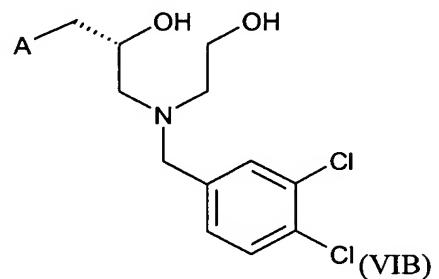
11. (Original) A compound of formula (VIBR)



(VIBR)

wherein A is a protected amino group.

12. (Original) A compound of formula (VIB)



wherein A is a protected amino group.